

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of)	Confirmation No. 8869
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Jean-Michel Claude Gaston Savignat et al.)	Examiner:
)	T. Shane Bomar
Serial No.: 10/580,710)	
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Filed: May 25, 2006)	
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<u>DRILL BIT AND METHOD OF USE</u>)	April 1, 2008

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 28, 2008

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2007, Applicants present the following amendments and remarks and request reconsideration of the application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 7.